



SAP Ariba 

Feature at a glance

Showing the logged-in buyer's RFQs

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Customer challenge

All events in Quote Automation are tied to the admin account. As such if a buyer user wants to filter events to their work queue, the best they can do is filter the list by the Business Unit. However, if there say 50 RFQs under a unit and the user is responsible only for a few, there is no simple way to achieve this filter. Also, there is no way to contact the owner of the RFQ as well.



Meet that challenge with **SAP Ariba**

This feature allows the buyer to send the Ariba Network user information in the cXML. If that user information is available then the event is matched to the user and allows the user to filter on their RFQ. Additionally, if the user contact information is populated we will display that to the supplier as well.



Experience key benefits

This feature will allow a user to filter the postings that they are the creator for. This is particularly important where there are say 5 users under a Business Unit, with each responsible for about 50 some RFQs a day. Without the filtering, each user will have to search through 250+ RFQs. The filter will enable them to have a work queue that is filtered for them increasing productivity.

Solution area

Operational Procurement / Network Procurement / Quote Automation

Enablement information

On by default for customers already enabled to use Quote Automation.
No action required.

Value measure		medium
Ease of implementation		simple
Regional limitations		global

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```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<!DOCTYPE cXML SYSTEM "http://svcdev8.ariba.com/schemas/cXML/1.2.029"
<cXML payloadID="jsdhgfhjsjdf_@10.97.28.126" timestamp="2016-08-22T07:00:00"
  <Header>
    <From>
      <Credential domain="AribaNetworkUserId">
        <Identity>sildy.buyer@sap.com</Identity>
      </Credential>
    </From>
    <To>
      <Credential domain="NetworkID">
        <Identity>AN02000010134</Identity>
      </Credential>
    </To>
    <Sender>
      <Credential domain="NetworkID">
        <Identity>AN02000010134</Identity>
        <SharedSecret>welcome2a</SharedSecret>
      </Credential>
      <UserAgent>Ariba SN Buyer Adapter</UserAgent>
    </Sender>
  </Header>
  <Request>
    <QuoteRequest>
```

If the buyer sends in the <From> tag the AribaNetworkUserId domain and the Ariba Network user ID <Identity> that is under the Ariba Network ID, we will capture this information and tie this event to that Ariba Network user.

```
<Contact role="quoteRequestCreator" addressID="0000009962">
  <Name xml:lang="en-US">Sildy Buyer</Name>
  <PostalAddress>
    <Street />
    <City />
    <Country isoCountryCode="" />
  </PostalAddress>
  <Email preferredLang="en-US">sildy.augustine@sap.com</Email>
  <Fax>
    <TelephoneNumber>
      <CountryCode isoCountryCode="91" />
      <AreaOrCityCode />
      <Number>(876) 887-9876</Number>
    </TelephoneNumber>
  </Fax>
</Contact>
<Comments xml:lang="EN">H1</Comments>
</QuoteRequestHeader>
```

Under the <QuoteRequestHeader> section, if the role is quoteRequestCreator and a contact is provided, then we capture the Name, Email and Telephone number of the buyer.

Note: This is only applicable where the matchingtype is not public.

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Search RFI/RFQ Events Find

All results

RFI/RFQ

View: **Active (7)** | Draft (0) | Archived (20) | Terminated (2)

Show my events only

Sort by: Unread Responses

RFQ - **600000001**
Posted On: 15 Nov 2017 Response Deadline: 28 Nov 2017 7:51 AM IST

4 Notified	0 Response(s)	4 Not Responded	0 Not Interested
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RFQ - **600000003**
Posted On: 15 Nov 2017 Response Deadline: 28 Nov 2017 7:51 AM IST

1 Notified	0 Response(s)	1 Not Responded	0 Not Interested
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RFQ - **600000100**
Posted On: 4 Jan 2018 Response Deadline: 30 Jan 2018 7:51 AM IST

1 Notified	0 Response(s)	1 Not Responded	0 Not Interested
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RFQ - **6000030011**
Posted On: 4 Jan 2018 Response Deadline: 12 Dec 2018 7:28 PM IST

Currently no responses

RFQ - **600000450**
Posted On: 16 Feb 2018 Response Deadline: 30 Mar 2018 7:51 AM IST

1 Notified	0 Response(s)	1 Not Responded	0 Not Interested
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Show More

Postings Search

Search RFI/RFQ Events Find

All results

RFI/RFQ

View: **Active (3)** | Draft (0) | Archived (0) | Terminated (0)

Show my events only

Sort by: Response Deadline - Ascending

RFQ - **600000450**
Posted On: 16 Feb 2018 Response Deadline: 30 Mar 2018 7:51 AM IST

1 Notified	0 Response(s)	1 Not Responded	0 Not Interested
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RFQ - **600000451**
Posted On: 16 Feb 2018 Response Deadline: 30 Mar 2018 7:51 AM IST

1 Notified	0 Response(s)	1 Not Responded	0 Not Interested
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RFQ - **600000452**
Posted On: 16 Feb 2018 Response Deadline: 30 Mar 2018 7:51 AM IST

1 Notified	0 Response(s)	1 Not Responded	0 Not Interested
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When the user logs in, they can see say 7 active events for their Business Unit/Org. If they check, the “Show my events only” checkbox, all events where their user id was provided will be filtered.

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The screenshot displays an RFQ (Request for Quote) interface. At the top left, there is a link for "View All Postings" and at the top right, links for "Previous Posting" and "Next Posting". The main RFQ entry is for ID "600000452" by "Sildy Buyer". It includes the posting date (16 Feb 2018), bidding start date (16 Feb 2018), and response deadline (30 Mar 2018 7:51 AM IST). A "Close and Award" button is visible. The status is "Open - Matching in Progress". Metrics show 0 Views and 1 Seller Notified. A "Leave feedback" link is present. At the bottom, the "Opportunity Amount" is listed as "Unspecified (Bid amount not required)".

View All Postings Previous Posting | Next Posting

600000452 Event Contact Information

Sildy Buyer

- Name: Sildy Buyer
- Email Address: sildy.augustine@sap.com

Posted On: 16 Feb 2018
Open for bidding on: 16 Feb 2018
Response Deadline: 30 Mar 2018 7:51 AM IST

[Close and Award](#)

Open - Matching in Progress

0 Views **1** Seller Notified

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Details Trends

Opportunity Amount: Unspecified (Bid amount not required)

If the user contact information is provided, then the supplier can hover over the RFQ name and they will be able to see the contact information of the buyer.